

<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/789,494	<b>Applicant(s)</b> TSUBOUCHI ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b> Jeffrey E. Russel	<b>Art Unit</b> 1654	

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**Status of Application:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Date of Interview:** 3 November 2006
**Time:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

**Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:** ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**
**Rejection(s) discussed:**

None

**Claims discussed:**

17

**Prior art documents discussed:**

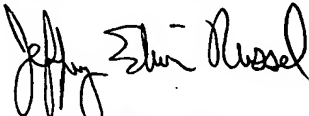
None

**Part II.**
**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

See examiner's amendment - agreed to minor wording change to claim 17.

**Part III.**

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

  
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